restructuring and liquidation etc. The report of the Committee is on the website of the Ministry *w.w.w.dca.nic.in.*

MNCs offices in Bangalore

1390. SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA: Will the Minister of COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many MNCs including foreign companies have set up their offices in Bangalore during the last three years;

(b) whether these MNCs ever approached Government asking for some facilities/concessions for setting up their business conveniently;

(c) what facilities/concession have been extended to them in this regard so far;

(d) whether these companies have expressed their satisfaction with whatever Government have done to help them in the matter; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI PREM CHAND GUPTA): (a) The details of foreign companies which have established their place of business in Bangalore for the last three years are as under:

2002-2003	17
2003-2004	31
2004-2005	20

Regarding MNCs, there is no specific information as they are not defined under the Companies Act, 1956, Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA) or Foreign Exchange Regulation Act (FERA).

; (b) to (e) The information is not readily available and will have to -be collected.

Action against vanishing companies

1391. SHRI VEDPRAKASH P. GOYAL: Will the Minister of COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are targeting vanishing companies;